IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Group Art Unit: 3624						
Examiner: J. R. Loftis						
Confirmation No. 2322						
RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL LETTER						
onse to the May 8, 2009 Official Action in						
connection with the above-identified patent application.						
A petition for a One-Month Extension of Time is also enclosed.						
Terminal Disclaimer to Obviate a Provisional Double Patenting Rejection Over a Pending "Reference" Application and the \$140 fee Under 37 CFR 1.20(d).						
No additional claim fee is required.						
An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown below:						

CLAIMS						
	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST NO. OF CLAIMS PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE	
Total Claims	52	Minus 53 =	0	x \$52.00 =	\$0	
Independent Claims	5	Minus 5 =	0	x \$220.00 =	\$0	
If Amendment adds multiple dependent claims, add \$390.00					n/a	
Total Amendment Fee					\$0	
If small entity status is claimed, subtract 50% of Total Amendment Fee					\$0	
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE DUE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$0	

[]	Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 08-3436 for the fee due.					
[]	Check No in the amount of \$ is enclosed for the fee due.					
[]	A Certificate of Express Mailing Under 37 C.F.R. §1.8.					
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[X]	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper to Deposit Accoun No. 08-3436.					

Date: August 10, 2009

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In re US Patent Application of:)	
Matthew K. GRACIE)	Confirmation No.: 2322
Serial No.: 10/735,018)	Group Art Unit: 3623
Filing Date: December 12, 2003)	Examiner: Loftis, Johnna R.
Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR CONDUCTING AN OPTIMIZED CUSTOMER IDENTIFICATION PROGRAM))))	

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 08, 2009 ("the Office Action"), Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the above-identified Application in light of the remarks herein as follows:

REMARKS begin on Page 2.